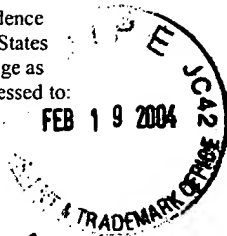


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REMARKS TO EXAMINER'S REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Reasons for allowance are only warranted in instances in which the record of the prosecution as a whole does not make clear his or her reasons for allowing a claim or claims. In the present case, applicant believes the record as a whole does make the reasons for allowance clear and therefore no statement by the examiner is necessary or warranted. Furthermore, the applicant does not necessarily agree with each statement in the reasons for allowance.

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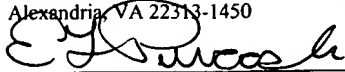
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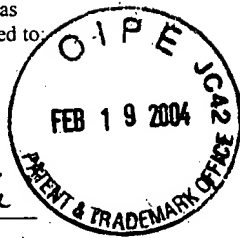
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following:

1. an Issue Fee Transmittal, Part B (PTO Form PTOL-85B);
2. a Fee Address Indication Form;
3. Remarks to Examiner's Reasons for Allowance;
4. a check in the amount of \$1,645.00 as the requisite Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18(a), § 1.18(d) and for five (5) advanced copies of the issued patent.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 20-0888. A copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a return postcard. Please date stamp and mail the postcard to acknowledge receipt of the above-mentioned correspondence.

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